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## COMMISSION IS AT SAMOA.

### Radical Changes to be Made in the Government of the Islands.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
WASHINGTON, May 10.—The United States naval transport Badger, with the American Commission on board, will arrive at Apia, Samoa, today, and there is much interest among officials in the important change in conditions which will be brought about when the Commission assumes charge. It will involve a practical suspension of the treaty of Berlin, and the system of administration by which the islands have been governed for the last ten years, and the temporary rule of the Commission, with supreme executive and administrative authority.

**DIPLOMATIC FORMALITIES.**  
By arrangements made before the Badger sailed, she will enter the harbor of Apia with the flags of the United States, Great Britain and Germany displayed. The warships of the three countries will fire the salute accorded to Ministers, and there will be an exchange of calls between the naval commanders, the Commission and the Consuls.

**CONSULS SHOWN OF POWER.**  
These formalities over, the Consuls of the three governments, Herr Rose and Messrs. Maxse and Osborn, will suspend their functions, as all the authority heretofore exercised by the Consuls and other officials for the time being will be in the hands of the joint Commission. The suspension of functions will occur as the Commission enters the harbor, and the president of the municipal court.

The cable advises that all is quiet in Samoa since renewed assurance to officials that the work of the Commission will be productive of good results, as it will enable them to define their labors free from the excitement of open hostilities.

**TIPOLOGICAL FORMS.**  
In view of the Berlin press reports that a number of German claims would be presented, growing out of the recent bombardment, it is stated in an authoritative manner that no such claims have been presented, and that if any claims are made by individual Germans they will be passed upon by the joint Commission, their functions having been made broad enough to permit them to pass on all such questions. Their report, however, would be confined to the merits of the claims, amounts and parties liable, and it would remain for the respective governments to carry out the recommendations by making the necessary appropriations.

## REUNION OF CONFEDERATES. SUICIDE OF A RANCH HAND.

### Enthusiastic Gathering of the Veterans at Charleston. Took Strychnine and Then Jumped Into a Dam.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
CHARLESTON, S. C., May 10.—Fully 25,000 visitors and Confederate veterans are here today attending the annual reunion of the Confederate Veterans' Society. Every hotel and boarding house in the city is filled, and cars were today placed in the public buildings.

The feature of the day was the parade, followed by the reunion exercises at the new Auditorium. Ten thousand veterans were in line when the procession moved, shortly before 10 o'clock. The divisions in each department were arranged in the order of the dates of secession, followed in order by those which did not leave the Union, placed in the order of their joining the United Confederate Veterans.

Following this came the United Sons of Confederate Veterans, led by Commander-in-Chief R. A. Smith. When General C. L. Walker called the first session of the reunion to order with the grand old song, "The Bonnie Blue Flag," the audience arose and for several minutes shouted like demons. Hats were thrown in the air and the band played "Dixie." Every sentence of his speech was applauded.

General Gordon closed his speech with these words:  
"I feel empowered by your confidence to send to every patriot in every section and State the fraternal greetings of this convention and of the whole people and to pledge in the name of every Confederate and son and daughter of Confederates, the South's eternal loyalty to every cause for the uplifting of mankind, the perpetuity of American freedom, the unity of the American people, that by all these agencies we may accelerate the upward march of the republic in its benign mission to humanity."

## DR. J. P. DUNN MEETS HEALTH OFFICER TODD.

Dr. J. P. Dunn this morning met Health Officer J. H. Todd and held a long consultation with him regarding the conduct of the Health Department. Dr. Dunn congratulated his successor and explained to him all the details of running the Health Department. The two physicians held a long and pleasant conference. Dr. Dunn gave his successor all the information he could give, and the very much appreciated Dr. Dunn's courtesy.

## Water Front Case.

The final brief of the special counsel in the trial of the Oakland water front case has been completed and submitted to Judge Ogden's department of the Superior Court this week. The case will then be submitted for decision.

## Dedicate New School.

The recently completed Lower Fruitvale School, which is located on Fruitvale avenue near East Fourth street will be dedicated at two o'clock Friday afternoon. The new building is a handsome structure and a credit to the county.

## HYPOCRISY OF CARNEGIE.

### An Oppressor of Labor Who Now Poses as a Philanthropist.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
LONDON, May 10.—In the course of an editorial commenting upon the reported intention of Mr. Carnegie to retire from business and devote his lifetime to philanthropic purposes, the Chronicle today indulges in a severe criticism of the alleged means by which Mr. Carnegie built up his fortune, and says:  
"We all remember how, the Home-Steak works were shut down for months because the men refused to have their wages lowered, and how barbed wire fences charged with electricity were set up, the place fortified, Pinkertons sent for, and finally, after a state of war and siege, the Steel Workers' Union was smashed to atoms and the millionaire's works were filled with Poles and Hungarians."

## EBELL LADIES HAVE A PLEASANT LUNCHEON.

The monthly luncheon of the Ebell Society took place yesterday at the rooms of the society and attracted a large attendance of members and quite a number of distinguished guests. Every seat was occupied, and the rooms were decorated in a most beautiful manner with maiden-hair fern, sweet peas and roses of various kinds and colors, under the direction of Mrs. W. R. Davis and several other ladies.

Among the distinguished people from outside the ranks of members present were Captain Plummer, an aide of General Shafter, Captain Plummer had charge of the luncheon and was assisted by Mrs. R. P. Davis, Mrs. E. B. Clark, Mrs. R. G. Abbott, Mrs. J. D. Smith, Mrs. A. C. Adams, Mrs. E. G. Barrett, Mrs. Samuel Brock and Mrs. Seth Mann.

A noticeable feature of the occasion was the presence of Mrs. W. N. Friend, who is one of the present members of the society, who was also present on the night on which Dr. Ebell organized the society. She is a charter member. The other members of the society who were on hand at that time was Mrs. Benton, who was represented by her daughter, Miss Benton.

The chief hostess of the occasion was Miss F. W. Horton, and she was assisted by Mrs. S. Hubbard, Mrs. William Clift, Mrs. H. S. Carlton, Miss Grace Holt, Miss Louise Simmons, Mrs. E. B. Clark, Mrs. R. G. Abbott, Mrs. J. D. Smith, Mrs. A. C. Adams, Mrs. E. G. Barrett, Mrs. Samuel Brock and Mrs. Seth Mann.

## BURGLAR WHO ONLY WANTS TO STEAL COIN.

A burglar entered the barber shop of John Saceria on East Twelfth street and Seventh avenue last night and secured a number of razors and a quantity of tobacco and cigars. An entrance was effected by cutting a hole in the glass of the door, thereby enabling the thief to reach the spring lock.

At 2:25 o'clock this morning a call for assistance came to the police station from 1308 Madison street. Mrs. Wilcox, the man who made the call, stated that burglars were in her house.

The home of Judge J. A. Stanley, at 1231 Jackson street, was struck by the same man but nothing was taken in either place.

The police believe this is the same man who operated in San Francisco and who is looking for money only.

## ENGINEERS IN SESSION.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
WASHINGTON, May 10.—The first business session of the thirty-ninth meeting of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers was held at the Arlington Hotel this morning. Over 150 members were present. Reports of officers showed that the society was in a flourishing condition.

The commercial organizations of Cincinnati have invited the society to hold its next annual meeting in that city.

At the morning session, the committee on the code for conducting boiler trials made its report, and professional papers were read.

## The Raleigh Uninjured.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
WASHINGTON, May 10.—A dispatch to the Navy Department from Captain Corbett says that an examination of the Raleigh after she floated last night shows that she sustained practically no damage in grounding off Charleston.

## Dr. Sanders Won.

In the suit of Dr. Sanders against Mitchell, the plaintiff won every point in the case. It has been stated that the doctor lost the case. The fact is that he won out and his tenant must now pay the rent due and costs of suit.

## CALIFORNIA'S CROP OUTLOOK.

### A Big Wheat and Fruit Yield Practically Assured.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—The Department of Agriculture has prepared the following summary of the weather and crop conditions existing in California during the week just ended:

Cool weather prevailed during the week, with light frost in some sections which caused little if any damage. Scattered light showers have fallen on the coast, in portions of the great valleys and in some parts of Southern California, but the precipitation was not sufficient to materially benefit growing crops.

Although the wheat crop in some portions of the San Joaquin Valley and Southern California will be extremely light, the yield for the State will probably be far in excess of the average.

Grapes were considerably injured by frosts of the preceding week, but reports indicate that the damage was not so serious as at first estimated. Very little damage was done to other fruits, and an unusually heavy yield is predicted, with the exception of prunes and apricots. Citrus fruit prospects continue excellent. Hay is still progressing, with a heavy crop in most sections.

## OUR BEEF THE BEST.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
WASHINGTON, May 10.—The War Department has demonstrated to its satisfaction the superiority of American beef over Australian beef. The experiment was made on the transports playing across the Pacific from San Francisco to Manila, as well as on the other route from San Francisco to Manila. Secretary Alger has decided that the ships shall be provided with American beef on the outward passage to last them through the return trip, and to this end the transports of the Sherman class will be fitted out immediately with refrigerators.

## A THIEF'S SENTENCE.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
WILMINGTON, Del., May 10.—Wm. N. Boggs, the defaulting teller of the Dover National Bank, was today sentenced in the United States District Court to five years in the Trenton, N. J., penitentiary, and a fine of \$5,000. The bank was forced to suspend in May, 1897, but resumed with its capital reduced from \$100,000 to \$50,000. Boggs was the principal witness against United States Senator Kenney in the latter's two trials for conspiracy to misapply the bank's funds, in both of which the jury disagreed.

## Transports From Manila

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
WASHINGTON, May 10.—The following dispatch has been received at the War Department:  
"MANILA, May 10.—Adjutant General, Washington: Transport Pennsylvania left for San Francisco today. Nelson leaves 11th, Cleveland 12th, St. Paul 13th inst."

It is not known at the War Department what troops are being brought home on these transports, and owing to the general interest on this point in General sent a cable message to General Otis asking to be informed as to what troops are on each of the transports scheduled to sail for the United States as mentioned in his telegram of today.

## Queen's Drawing Room.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
LONDON, May 10.—Princess Christian, on behalf of Queen Victoria, held the third drawing room of the season today. The weather was fine and there were the usual large crowds on the Mall, but the customary gorgeous state presentations from Marlborough House and St. James Palace were lacking, as those homes of royalty are at present unoccupied, the Prince of Wales being at Newmarket today, and the Princess of Wales and the Duchess of York are out of town.

## Ordered to the Philippines.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
OMAHA, Neb., May 10.—Lieutenant A. W. Tower, for four years Chief Paymaster of the Department of the Missouri, received telegraphic orders this morning to proceed at once to the Philippines and relieve Colonel Charles McClure, Chief Paymaster of the islands. He expects to be able to sail from San Francisco May 22nd.

## Default Against Clark.

Default has been entered against Lew B. Clark in the action of the State against him to foreclose a mortgage on the certificate of purchase of State school lands.



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## PRINCELY GIFT FROM CARNEGIE.

### Quarter of a Million for a Birmingham College.

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BIRMINGHAM, Eng., May 10.—Andrew Carnegie has written a letter to Joseph Chamberlain offering to contribute the last 50,000 pounds which Mr. Chamberlain is trying to raise for the University of Birmingham, provided the scientific school be made the principal department of the institution. Mr. Carnegie points out the great need in England of young scientific experts to the work of which class England must secure if she is to remain one of the principal manufacturing nations of the world. He urges Mr. Chamberlain to take Carnegie University as a model, where the scientific department has won first place in the number of students in this degree of classics.

Mr. Carnegie continues: "I am sure that our people of Birmingham across the Atlantic will heartily approve of the gift to their prototype on this side of the water; for what does not the younger owe of its greatness and prosperity to the old land? Let the gift, therefore, be considered only as a slight acknowledgment of a debt that our great inventors, can never hope to repay."

## TOD SLOAN WINS AGAIN.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
LONDON, May 10.—At the second day's racing of the Newmarket second spring meeting today, P. Lorillard's bay colt, Domino II, ridden by Sloan, won the Newmarket stakes. This race is for three sovereigns each, half furlong, with £2,000 added. Kent was second and Harrow third. The betting was 9 to 4 against Domino. Sloan rode My Lady's Maid for the first of the day, and was unplaced. H. Barnard's Sweet Story, ridden by Sloan, won an all-aged selling plate of £100.

## M'KINLEY'S PROGRAM.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
HOT SPRINGS, Va., May 10.—President McKinley began the treatment incident to the medicated baths of this resort this morning. He rose later than 7 o'clock and breakfasted with Mrs. McKinley. His thorough rest of yesterday and good sleep evidently benefited him. He did not leave his apartments until 11:30 o'clock, when he stepped across the bridge leading from the hotel to the bath house. There he was attended by two officers of the bath department and by Dr. Rixey. After his bath Mr. McKinley returned to his room for a short sleep. Luncheon followed. This morning a drive over the mountain route was enjoyed. Senator Fairbanks left here on the early train.

## THE CZARINA'S GENEROSITY.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
ST. PETERSBURG, May 10.—At the instance of the Czarina two commissioners have been sent to the famine stricken district of Russia to inquire into the distress there and to take prompt measures for its alleviation. The Czarina has given 50,000 rubles for the relief of the starving people.

## HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
BALTIMORE, Ohio, May 10.—Richard Love, colored, and Lewis H. Davis, white, were shockingly mangled today by a premature explosion of a dynamite blast in the stone quarry of Daniel Leonard & Son. Both had their eyes completely torn out and sustained other injuries which it is thought will prove fatal.

## Australian Gold Coming.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
SYDNEY, N. S. W., May 10.—The steamer Alameda sailed from this port today for San Francisco with 150,000 pounds in gold on board.

## NATIVES WOULD FIGHT REBELS.

### Macabebeans Want to Serve in Our Tinclad Navy Against Tagals.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
MANILA, May 10, 4:10 P. M.—The army tinclad gunboats Laguna de Bay and Cavendish, under the command of Captain Grant, steamed up the Rio Grande to Calumpit today, clearing the entire country of rebels from the bay upward.

**NATIVES CHEER GUNBOATS.**  
When the vessels reached Macabebe, about a thousand of the inhabitants of the place assembled upon the banks of the river, cheering the expedition lustily. Captain Grant was given an ovation when he went ashore.

**BAGET TO ENLIST.**  
Many of the Macabebeans expressed themselves as being eager to enter the service of the American navy for the campaign against the Tagals.

**MOVEMENT OF TRANSPORTS.**  
The United States transports Puebla and Pennsylvania sailed for home today by way of Nagasaki. The transports Nelson and Cleveland will leave on Thursday and Friday.

## ALL WANT TO SEE DEWEY.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
DENVER, May 10.—Mayor Henry V. Johnson of Denver will give his support to the efforts being made by Mayor Phelan of San Francisco to have Admiral Dewey come by way of San Francisco on his homeward trip. Speaking of the matter, the Mayor said:  
"If Admiral Dewey comes by way of San Francisco he will give the whole country an opportunity to see him and greet him before he reaches his home in Vermont. I will aid the Western cities all I can. I take it for granted that the citizens of Denver are anxious to greet him, and will be as warm in that greeting as the residents of any other city in the country."

## DEMOCRATIC PROGRAM.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
NEW YORK, May 10.—Former Governor William J. Stone of Missouri, who is at the Hoffman House, said in an interview last night:  
"William J. Bryan will be the next Democratic nominee for the Presidency. As to the platform, I don't know what better we could do than reaffirm that of Chicago. Nothing can be gained by a change. If the platform is left out, away go the Populists and Silver Republicans who backed to Bryan, and in their stead would come the Gold Democrats of the East, whose number is inconsiderable."

By the time the conventions are held the war will be all over and I don't see why there should be any war plank. I believe there should be a declaration against imperialism. The declaration against trusts might be strengthened and we should be strong in favor of an income tax."

## To Amend Bankruptcy Act.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
CHICAGO, May 10.—A call was sent out today for a convention of representatives of leading credit men's associations, members of judicial com-

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## SCOTCH SHY AT TRUSTS.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
GLASGOW, May 10.—Representatives of the chief iron manufacturing house of Scotland deny that a scheme has been submitted to them by an American syndicate, headed by Andrew Carnegie, to combine the iron and steel works of Great Britain. The gentlemen quoted declared that Scotch houses will never let themselves up with American monopolies.

## Invitation to Rough Riders.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., May 10.—At a meeting of the Commercial Club a committee was appointed to extend an invitation to the Roosevelt Rough Riders to hold their first annual reunion in this city.

## Montreal's Bicycle Meet.

MONTREAL, May 10.—A race program has been drawn up for the international world's bicycle meet here, beginning August 7th. Three thousand dollars is to be given in prizes for the professional events. The prizes range from \$250 for the first man in the 500 kilometer professional race, down to \$25 for fourth place.

## LINDA VISTA TERRACE.

We have commenced the erection of a three-room house, with basement and attic, on a Linda Vista lot, 70x150. The house is of very pleasing design and will be built of the best material obtainable, and in the most thoroughly manner.

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READY FOR THE CONVENTION.  
Endeavorers Planning Five Thousand Guests to Receive in Visitors. Are Expected in This City.

The Rev. P. E. Clark, D. D., President of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, will reach Oakland, Cal., this morning. He has sent word to the local committee that he will be here on time to attend the great State Convention of Christian Endeavor which will be held during the next three days of next week at the Exposition building in this city. The Rev. Mr. Clark is the only one of the great State Convention of Christian Endeavor who is coming from the West. He is a member of the local committee and will be in charge of the local arrangements. He is a well-known and popular speaker and will be a great asset to the convention. He is expected to bring with him a large number of visitors from the West. The local committee is doing everything possible to make the convention a success. They are expecting a large number of guests and are doing everything possible to make them comfortable. The local committee is doing everything possible to make the convention a success. They are expecting a large number of guests and are doing everything possible to make them comfortable.

DISCOURSE ON GOLD BRICKS.

Next Monday has been set for the annual convention of the Junior League of Oakland. The convention will be held at the Exposition building. The local committee is doing everything possible to make the convention a success. They are expecting a large number of guests and are doing everything possible to make them comfortable. The local committee is doing everything possible to make the convention a success. They are expecting a large number of guests and are doing everything possible to make them comfortable.

WAR BONDS NOT CONGESTED

The Board of Public Works and Police and Fire Commissioners met this morning. The board discussed the matter of war bonds. The board decided that war bonds should not be congested. The board decided that war bonds should not be congested.

THE PACIFIC CABLE.

The Pacific Cable Company is planning to build a cable across the Pacific Ocean. The company is planning to build a cable across the Pacific Ocean. The company is planning to build a cable across the Pacific Ocean.

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Clog up the blood—and the kidneys—the liver, the bowels, the system in the body will suffer. It's only natural. You want to be well—try purifying the blood, and you'll find your long-suffering kidneys suffering. For a blood-purifier and a stomach tonic, there's nothing to equal—  
**Hostetter's Stomach Bitters**  
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AN ATTACK ON THE DETECTIVES.

At a meeting of the Committee of the Whole of the Police and Fire Commissioners this morning Mayor Snow moved that the resolution revoking the appointment of the L. E. Foster as foreman and extra fireman be recommended for passage. The motion was seconded by Dow. The resolution will come up at tomorrow's meeting and Foster will be removed. In stating his reasons for this action the Mayor said he thought it was impossible to maintain discipline in the fire department if the foreman conducted a saloon within fifty feet of the engine house and sold liquors to the regular men. He said it was not because Foster was in the saloon business that he was in favor of his removal but that his business had been allowed to interfere with the discipline of the department. He stated that Foster had been suspended for violating the rules by selling liquor to a prominent member of the department and that there were men who had been suspended for drinking in his place while on duty. It is stated that this is but the beginning of a general weeding out of those men from the department who have allowed saloons or are connected with saloons in any capacity. The ordinance rescinding the ordinance providing for the appointment of two additional detectives which was recently passed by the Council was discussed.

BRUSH WITH THE REBELS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. MANILA, May 9.—A reconnoitering party from Major-General Lawton's command, which consisted of two companies of the Minnesota Regiment and two companies of the Oregon Regiment, under command of Major Diggins of the Minnesota Regiment, advanced yesterday to a point near San Miguel, which is twelve miles north of Bulacan. There the Americans were met with a volley from a force of rebels behind a trench. Major Diggins was wounded in the head and a private, together with ten wounded patients, were brought by special train to Manila to day. STEAMER RECOVERED. The Don Jose, the last of the missing steamers under the American flag, which were detained by the insurgents since the beginning of the war, was found by the gunboat Manila at Batangas, and arrived here today. TRANSPORTS LEAVE MANILA. WASHINGTON, May 9.—General Otis reports to the War Department under today's date that the transport Pueblo left Manila for San Francisco on the 7th inst. and that the Zealandia left today.

TRYING TO IMPROVE CITY.

The Board of Public Works and Police and Fire Commissioners met this morning. The board discussed the matter of improving the city. The board decided that the city should be improved. The board decided that the city should be improved.

SALOON MEN COMBINE AGAINST THE DIVES.

Many protests have been filed with the city officials against disreputable saloons in this city. These reports do not come from the anti-saloon people alone but from those people who conduct more orderly saloons. The latter are reported to be engaged in a concerted move against the dives and joints. It is reported that unless the ordinance of the city be lived up to that the saloon men as a class will be made to suffer from the misdeeds of the few, and this is no doubt an incentive to the liquor merchants who conduct their places according to the law to take the matter into their own hands. Rumor has it also that if these things are not attended to an ordinance similar to the Los Angeles ordinance will be adopted. That ordinance does away with all "ladies' entrances," compels the saloon men to construct the front of their places of business of clear glass, and also provides that the bar shall be well up to the front of the saloon with no screens.

BURGLAR'S BOLD WORK.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WILMINGTON, Del., May 9.—Six masked burglars early this morning, at the mouth of their pistols, overpowered Emil Meyer, the watchman, and Frederick Pestling, the engineer, at the Bavarian Brewery, and blew open the safe in the office, securing \$1,400.

NEW HOTEL IS NOW PLANNED.

The old Centennial Hotel on the corner of Fourteenth and Clay streets, owned by Mrs. Phoebe Blair has been sold. The purchasers are W. E. Dingee and associates and the price paid for the property is said to be \$120,000. The purchase includes the property on which is located the City Hall Stables. The Oakland Bank of Savings holds a mortgage on the property for over \$80,000. Mrs. Phoebe Blair at present conducts the Centennial Hotel. She will soon retire from business and make a visit to her old home in the East where she will remain for some time. It is the intention of the new owners to make a great many improvements to the building and put it in first class condition. The place will then be reopened as a first class hotel. It is stated that a brick annex will be constructed to accommodate the City Hall Stables. The annex will be located where the present wooden stable building now stands. Mrs. Blair stated today that all the property had not yet been signed as she was not at liberty to go into all the details of the sale. J. H. Macdonald & Company made the sale.

YANKES GOT THE ORDER.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LONDON, May 9.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons today as to whether the Indian government had given an order for the Gok-tick viaduct, in Burma, to an American firm, while British manufacturers had not been asked to make a tender, the Secretary of State for India, Mr. George Hamilton, replied that the Indian government had nothing to do with the contract. It was given, he said, by the Burmah Railway Company, which invited six English and two American firms to make a tender. Four of the former refused to bid, and the most favorable tender received required three years for completion of the work at a cost of 16,000 pounds, while the best American tender proposed to complete the work in one year at a cost of \$6,125 pounds. The company had, under these circumstances, accepted the tender of the American Company.

HART NORTH IS SUSTAINED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, May 9.—It was stated at the Immigration Bureau today that the action of Commissioner North in San Francisco in refusing a landing to a company of native Filipinos under contract to exhibit at a dime museum in New York, was entirely proper. The contention of the Filipinos that they are actors and not laborers probably will not be sustained except it can be conclusively shown that it came within the rulings of the department as to character and standing in the theatrical profession, which now appears extremely doubtful.

CANADIAN DISPUTE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WASHINGTON, May 9.—All hope of reconvening the Joint American-Canadian Commission in August has been abandoned. The conference adjourned after having made good headway, as it was thought at the time, toward the drafting of an agreement, owing to an unexpected and insurmountable obstacle in the shape of the lumber and boundary question. The joint conference adjourned in August, with the understanding that in the meantime the governments of the two countries would test public sentiment. It has now been demonstrated, however, that the temper of neither side has yet yielded sufficiently to warrant the expectation of any good result attending the reconvening of the commission.

MINERS' UNIONS TO BE CRUSHED.

WARNER, Idaho, May 9.—The proclamation given to the press last night was formally issued today with some modifications of Governor Steunenberg's report by State Auditor Sinclair, with the approval of General Merriam. This is the most radical blow yet aimed at labor organizations in this region, and citizens are hopeful that it will prove a remedy. It is directed to the mine owners in this county, and denies their right to employ men belonging to certain organizations during the continuance of martial law. All miners applying for work will be required to get a permit from the State, denying their participation in the recent riots and renouncing membership in any society which has approved the riots. Mine owners refusing to comply with those conditions will be required to close their mines. The State is building a pen 150 by 150 feet with four rows of bunks around it. The inmates are progressing and may last several weeks.

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MURDOCK CASE LIVENING UP.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. WILLOW, Cal., May 9.—The Murdock case is increasing in interest as it draws to a close. The plaintiff, Mrs. Mary Helen Murdock, was severely cross-examined by General Barnes this morning, and all the plaintiff's witnesses in rebuttal are being thoroughly questioned. The depositions of W. P. Cahoon, G. W. Vestal, Richard Gernon, Dr. G. W. Westlake, Milton Dale and George Puts, of Red Bluff, were read by Attorney Johnson. All the answers read were as to the reputation of Cam B. Amhurst, an important witness for the plaintiff, as to his truth, honesty and integrity being good. The defense was not allowed to prove that William Murdock had \$50,000 in the bank at the time William Shift says that Murdock had refused to pay some interest on the note to plaintiff. The defense announced that they rested. Seth Millington, once a Judge of Glenn County Superior Court, testified that he was an interest in the note and was written and when the affidavit alleged to have been made to Kirkpatrick by Samuel Murdock was produced, he heard Writing Expert Carl Elmscheid say to Expert Snyder, "Get hold of that affidavit, make a photograph of it, and then knock it out," or words to that effect. Cross-examination did not affect this testimony. Mrs. Margaret Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Lena Jarves were called and swore that Mrs. Murdock, the plaintiff, went to Deadwood in April, 1881, to take treatment from a Chinese doctor, and did not return home until July. This is to disprove the statement of W. S. Murdock, who told of a conversation about "the baby" between his wife and the plaintiff held at her home in June, 1881. Mrs. Murdock was then called and told of this trip to Deadwood. She then denied the statements made by Charles D. Young as to her offering him a bribe to get the note, and also denied the statements attributed to herself and husband alleged to have been made at the home of Gavin Murdoch Sr. at Upper Lake. Mrs. Barnes cross-examined Mrs. Murdock, asking her to state that she was saying that the note was given her for affection. She denied that she had taken care of William Murdock during his sickness and that the note was given her through gratitude. She denied that she had taken care of William Murdock during his sickness and that the note was given her through gratitude. She denied that she had taken care of William Murdock during his sickness and that the note was given her through gratitude.

Baby Burned to Death.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9.—William Timney, a child of 11 months, died today from injuries received last night. In the absence of his mother and father, he overturned a large lamp, receiving injuries which caused his death. The mother, who had gone into the yard for only a few seconds, did everything she could to save the infant, but without avail.

Had His Foot Crushed.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. LOS ANGELES, May 9.—Frank Biallanger, a 12-year-old boy, the son of a carpenter, had his left foot ground to a pulp under the wheels of an electric car on Twelfth street last night, and the leg had to be amputated between the knee and ankle. The boy was riding a bicycle and fell under the car.

Died.

PIERCE—in Berkeley, May 8, 1899, Mrs. M. A. Pierce, a native of Chester, Vt., aged 57 years and 12 days. BARRABAS—in San Leandro, May 8, 1899, Eulalia Barradas, a native of San Leandro, aged 21 years and 12 days.





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**\$9.95** Taffeta Silk, deep flounce with two corded ruffles, dust ruffle and feather bone finish. Two shades: camellia and orchide.

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**\$11.50** Taffeta Silk Petticoat. Deep flounce with five cords, two corded ruffles on flounce, finished with feather bone. Shades: triton and violet.

**\$12.00** Black Taffeta Silk Petticoat, with deep ruffle on a wide flounce, bottom finished with six small pinked ruffles of violet and black alternating.

**\$15.00** Cyano shaded taffeta silk Petticoat, with deep ruffle, finished with box plaited ruffle and dust ruffle.

**\$16.00** Black taffeta silk Petticoat, made elaborately, wide under-flounce of violet silk, over it three rows of black lace inserting, and deep lace flounce. Violet silk dust ruffle, feather bone finish. As handsome a petticoat as you could wish for.

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## GREAT INFUX OF GALICIANS.

The Scum of Europe Is Flocking to Our Shores.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
NEW YORK, May 10.—A dispatch from Hamburg has been received here announcing that 50,000 Galicians are on their way or preparing to come to this country.

The strange quarters on the German-American lines, it is said, are crowded with emigrants who are leaving home in consequence of the oppression of famine. The Patria, which sails from Hamburg Sunday, has 2,500 and the Graf Waldersee, which sails next Sunday, will have many more. The Hamburg-American steamship Braggia, which arrived at Halifax yesterday, had 1,400 Galicians bound for places in Canada.

Commissioner Fitzhugh thinks that the figures mentioned in the dispatch must be wrong, as he does not believe that the Austro-Hungarian government would permit a large number to emigrate at one time. It was pointed out that the emigration of these people would mean about one-tenth of the population of Galicia going away, and would go a long way toward depopulating the province.

Chief Clerk Lederhager, an expert on immigration, said it was enough to make one faint if true, and no matter how small the number might be, that very few coming was to be regretted, as they are a most undesirable class. There are five ships on the seas with 2,000 all told, and the American, which arrived today, has several hundred.

Nearly 100 Chinese arrived Tuesday on the Tatar Prince and Masella, and more are on their way here.

## FLOOD BY ERE CANAL.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
SPENCERPORT, N. Y., May 10.—A break in the Erie canal occurred last night, and water has been rushing in torrents out upon this village. Great damage has been done to lumber yards and buildings. The waters of all stores on each side of the main street are flooded six feet deep. A number of farms north of the village are submerged, and livestock has been saved with much difficulty. The lower part of the village is a vast lake. Navigation on the canal cannot be resumed for at least ten days.

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## HE IS AFTER THE POLITICIANS

Dr. Brush Speaks His Mind Before the Men's League.

There was an interesting meeting of the Men's League of the First Congregational Church last evening. The Rev. Frank S. Brush of the First Presbyterian Church of Alameda delivered the address of the evening. His address was "The Pulpit and Politics."

Dr. Brush in his speech spoke harshly of the State Board of Harbor Commissioners. He said in part: "Look at some of the pitiful things about California. Not a vessel comes in yonder Golden Gate but it is taxed for the sake of the politicians. This is one of the finest harbors on the globe and requires the least expenditure on the part of man to make it safe and ample, yet the harbor rates are the highest known among civilized peoples."

"And why?" For the improvement of the harbor? For the building of sea walls? For the dredging or blasting or any other improvement? No. Simply to maintain a horde of idle, useless parasites.

"If this were all, it would be bad enough, but these men come in an organized body of robbers. They plan and execute legislation, they control political parties. The harbor taxes give them their support and allow them all their time to further exploit the State for their own advantage, while the half million or more people who live on the shores of this marvelous bay, calmly let it all go on and sit idly by. Carlyle's brutal characterization of the American people as mostly fools, is none too strong for the situation."

"Gamblers, horse racers, defectors run our political machinery, nominate the men we are to vote for on a coolly ask us, 'What are you going to do about it?' continued Mr. Brush.

"Indeed, if a Senator speaks here in Oakland of the generally high character of the men who have gone to the United States Senate, how they have been men of probity, morality and generally affiliated with the churches, the Governor of the State takes it as a personal attack upon himself and uses his official position to snub the offender."

## RECEPTION FOR FRANK BARNET.

A reception and banquet will be tendered to Grand Trustee Frank Barnett next Friday evening by the members of Piedmont Parlor, No. 120, N. S. G. W. The Committee of Arrangements consists of D. W. Doody, E. Rathjen, W. H. McDonald, W. Holman and J. H. Woods.

Mr. Barnett is a very popular member of the Native Sons.  
Licensed to Marry.  
James Edward Joseph Healey, Berkeley.  
Adelaide Eugenie Broner, San Lorenzo.  
Edward Daniel Carroll, S. F.  
Alice Esther Dolan, Oakland.

## REASONS FOR EXTRA SESSION.

Two Pressing Problems for Congress to Dispose of. President Wants Action on Money Question.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 10.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says: The revival of the talk of an extra session of Congress has more behind it than idle gossip. The contingency of such a session has been discussed at a Cabinet meeting, and a member of that body who was present at the time is authority for the statement that the President's mind is strongly inclined toward such a move. Two reasons control the President in this matter. He wishes the policy of the government with respect to the Philippines defined and the currency question disposed of before the party enters the campaign of 1900. The President has declared his belief to his advisers that peace will be established in the Philippines within the next thirty days, and that the ownership and possession of these islands will no longer be disputed. This subject coming to him so soon, he does not care to formulate a policy with respect to their government, the degree of home rule to be granted to them, etc., without the aid of Congress, in whose hands he placed the whole subject in his message to that body.

The President is unwilling to do anything that will lessen the present prospects of success for his party in the coming campaign. He fears that anything looking like delay or indecision will have a bad effect. For this reason he wants the whole country as to what he is doing exactly what the policy of the government is with respect to the Philippines in the Far East.

Another powerful controlling motive that is actuating the President is his strong desire to have early and positive action taken with respect to the currency question. He is said to be not thoroughly satisfied with the results of the deliberations of the Republican House Caucus Committee, which recently formulated a bill for introduction in the House when it convenes again. Although the members of that committee are unusually reticent, it is understood that the committee has not in all respects followed the suggestions of the President. Four strong points were brought out by the President, and the committee was thoroughly acquainted with his position. These recommendations were:

First, a provision that will make the so-called endless chain caused by the redemption of greenbacks with gold and consequent runs upon the treasury reserve impossible.

Second, that national banks be permitted to issue circulation up to the par value of the bonds deposited to secure that circulation, instead of only 90 per cent, as at present.

Third, a reduction of the tax on national bank circulation, the present tax being 1 per cent.

Fourth, that national banks with a capital of only \$25,000 be authorized to be established in small towns, the minimum now being \$50,000.

Not being satisfied that the measure formulated by the House Committee meets the situation, the President wishes the whole question taken up and disposed of as early as possible, so that it may not be a factor in the coming campaign. This also appears to be the view of the leaders. Mr. Aldrich, chairman of the Senate Committee on Finance, who has just returned from Europe, in an interview in the New York Tribune, recently said he would call his committee together as soon as possible, and, as he expressed it, "get right down to business."

This committee was authorized to sit during the recess, but it was believed that not until the close of the regular session would it really do any work on the subject. The declaration of Chairman Aldrich evidently indicates a change of program.

In his talks with Senators and Representatives, particularly those spending the summer abroad, the President has intimated the possibility of a legislative emergency that would require their presence in Washington earlier than was thought likely when the Fifty-fifth Congress adjourned. The struggle over the Speakership will consume time that was not anticipated.

Although the President is extremely cautious how he discusses even the possibility of a special session of Congress, his advisers who are closest to him regard a special session as almost an assured fact. The man on whose authority the above expressions are based is of the opinion that when the President returns from Hot Springs, where he has gone for a rest, he will permit it to become semi-officially known that Congress is to be convened some two or three months earlier than the date for the regular meeting.

## BEAT POOR OLD DOG TO DEATH.

University Character Is Arrested for Cruelty.

"Jimmie Potatoes," janitor of North Hall of the State University, has been arrested for cruelty to animals. He is alleged to have beaten an old dog to death with a piece of pipe.

Some weeks ago a decrepit old dog wandered to North Hall and made his home there. All efforts to dislodge the animal from his new abode were unavailing. He refused to move.

One day just before the close of the dog was seen limping across the campus. This aroused the anger of the janitor, who took a piece of pipe and beat the animal until he was compelled to desert by the students and professors. The dog was shot by the students to end its misery.

"Jimmie Potatoes" or James Tait as his name appears on the University payroll, will now have to answer before Justice Quinn for his action. He was arrested on complaint of the Humane Society. In the meantime the faculty has suspended him for a month. Some of the professors will be witnesses at the trial.

James is known to every student at the University.

## LED INTO IT

By following the habit of friends.

As I took my coffee in very moderate quantities, I really did not believe what my friends frequently told me, that coffee was the cause of the gas on my stomach, which has troubled me for on perhaps forty years.

I am now a little over sixty years old, and I know that this gas trouble came on about the time I was twenty, and has been with me ever since. I have denied myself almost every kind of food pleasant to my taste, but without any appreciable benefit.

All of my friends have known of my trouble, as it has been of such long duration. Sometime ago I was called to nurse a sick friend who had Postum Food Coffee in the pantry and used it in place of coffee, praising it very highly. For about a week I used it as they did, as my only beverage, and the second day I noticed a change in my condition, and from that time on, I never had one attack of the belching of gas. The friends exclaimed, "Why, where has your trouble gone?" and every one in the house knew that I had been entirely cured by leaving off coffee and taking Postum Food Coffee. You can depend upon it that never since that time has coffee passed my lips and never will I can eat the food drink Postum. My stomach has instead. You can depend upon it that I can eat anything I like and now take great pleasure in my meals and in life altogether. I send you a list of friends whom I know have been greatly helped by leaving off the use of ordinary coffee and using Postum Food Coffee in its place. Some of these made very fast, poor, Postum on the start as they only boiled it a few minutes, but it is generally known now about here that the way to get rid of the flavor is to let it long enough. L. M. Graham, 729 8th St., Oakland, Cal.

## HE SEEKS A HIGH OFFICE.

Dr. Coyle May Be Chosen Moderator of the Assembly.

Dr. Robert F. Coyle of the First Presbyterian Church leaves Friday with Mrs. Coyle for a European tour of four months. On his way East, however, Dr. Coyle will attend the national assembly of the Presbyterian Church, which will be held at Minneapolis from May 18th to about May 23th.

Dr. Coyle goes to the assembly as a delegate from the Presbytery of this district. Dr. James Alexander of East Oakland also goes as a ministerial delegate. D. Edward Collins of this city and George A. Bordwell of Alameda go as delegates from among the elders.

Dr. Coyle will be one of the leading candidates for moderator of the Presbyteries. The office is a very high one and it is considered a great honor to have a minister from this Coast selected as a candidate. The Presbyteries of the Southern part of the country are unanimous in selecting Dr. Coyle as their candidate.

The only other name that has been mentioned as being prominent for the office is Dr. Robert Sample of New York. It is thought that he will receive considerable support from the Eastern delegates. The name of Dr. McKibben has also been suggested as a possibility, but it is generally conceded that the leading candidates are the three named.

The assembly will be composed of about 600 delegates. It is thought by the supporters of Dr. Coyle, that the reputation he has in the East, together with the unanimous support of the West will assure the election of the popular Oakland pastor.

## DETECTIVE FERRIN CRITICALLY ILL.

John Ferrin, the well known ex-railroad detective, is lying very ill at his home on Brush street with typhoid pneumonia, and his physicians hold but little hope for his recovery.

Ferrin made an enviable record as a Newkissaw while employed by the Southern Pacific Company, and has for some time been employed by the Oakland Transit Company as a private detective. Prior to entering the Southern Pacific employ he was for several years a deputy in the Sheriff's office of Solano county.

## EXCHANGED DUCKS FOR CHICKENS.

The seven ducks which were being kept in the rear of Judge La Rue's court in East Oakland awaiting an owner, have been replaced by five chickens. Mrs. Plaw of Fruitvale provided ownership to the ducks and was allowed to take them away. Yesterday Deputy Constable Robinson discovered five chickens which Frank Teitz, charged with petty larceny, had sold. The fowls were taken to the yard just vacated by the ducks and are now awaiting a claimant.

## OTIS DENIES DAMAGE CLAIMS.

The Iloilo Citizens Must Bear Their Losses.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, May 10.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Major General Otis has virtually decided against the legality of claims for indemnity filed by residents of Iloilo whose property was destroyed during the operations incident to the capture of that city on February 11th. Claimants who reside in other countries are advised to present their claims through the governments of their respective countries.

The claims according to information received here, are held by persons of various nationalities, including Filipinos and amount to several million dollars. German residents at Iloilo are said to be among the principal claimants. In response to these claimants General Otis has addressed to them a circular letter, a copy of which reached the War Department today. This letter calls attention to the fact that the claims presented vary greatly in their statements, and offer no proof of actual ownership by the claimant of property destroyed, so that even if liability of the United States were conceded, no conclusions could be reached on the facts as presented.

The letter continues: "The claims in question are not returned for submission of more complete proof, in the view that the destruction of property at Iloilo, whether resulting from the acts of United States forces or the insurgents, can furnish no valid claims for indemnity as against the United States, it being held to be a generally accepted principle of international law that all property situated within the theater of actual military operations, whether belonging to citizens of foreign powers, alien residents or natives is subject to the casualties of war and that no liability is incurred to indemnify such owners for the destruction of such property resulting from legitimate belligerent action."

The General further said that the liability of the United States to indemnify owners of the property, even if destroyed in rebellion against this country, would not exist. The only basis for claims would be the destruction resulting from neglect by the United States army and General Otis adds:

"Such neglect is not charged nor can it be truthfully alleged."

## KAUTZ CABLES GOOD NEWS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
WASHINGTON, May 10.—The following cablegram was received at the Navy Department this morning from Admiral Kautz, on board the cruiser Philadelphia:

"AUCLAND, N. Z., May 10 (APR. May 9).—Secretary Navy, Washington. Brutus arrived April 2nd. All quiet at April. Condition of affairs much improved. I have withdrawn marines from the shore, as presence is required no longer."

"KAUTZ."

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Syrup of Figs.....	35c	Crene De Lis.....	35c
Carter's Cascara Compound.....	25c	Cucumber Cream.....	25c
Castoria.....	25c	Bailey's Lanoline Cream.....	25c
Pierce's Favorite Prescription...	70c	La Blache Powder.....	35c
Carter's, Pierce's Beecham's, Schenck & Thompson's Pills...	15c	Pozzoni's Powder.....	35c
Laxative Bromo Quinine.....	20c	Yvette Rice Powder.....	35c
Garfield Tea.....	20c	Oriental Cream.....	\$1.10
		Carter's Swedish Hair Renewer...	50c

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## IMPROVEMENT CLUB REVIVES. IMPRISONED IN COLOMBIA.

West Oaklanders Doing Business at the Old Stand. Kansas Man Demands Damages for Gross Injustice.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

FOI T SCOTT, Kan., May 10.—After a confinement of about six years in a political prison in the Republic of Colombia, Archie M. Carter, a civil engineer and contractor, prominent in this city until 1891, when he left for Yucatan, has just been liberated and returned here. He has made a demand upon the Colombia government for \$150,000, and has gone to Washington to enlist the aid of the government in collecting it.

Mr. Carter had been absent from this city about three years before any word was received from him, and then a letter was received by a friend. It bore the censor mark of the commander of the prison, who in a postscript said that no communication would be allowed to pass to or from the prisoner touching the cause of his confinement. Supposing him to have offended the government in the promotion of some enterprise, no effort was made by his friends to learn the facts in his case. He being a man of no family, there was no one deeply enough interested to appeal to the government for an explanation.

He claims to have been thrown into the jail on suspicion of being a filibuster, for which suspicion there was no ground, and he was denied a hearing. The government is taking depositions here to establish his citizenship, preparatory to taking up the matter.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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## KANSAS CYCLONES WORK.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
WICHITA, Kas., May 10.—A special to the Beacon says that a cyclone struck Coldwater, Kas., at 10 o'clock last night, completely destroying twelve houses and killing Joseph Bowers, a prominent cattle man. Aldrich's general store was blown down. The Presbyterian Church was blown away, and the Court House was unroofed.

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Manager—"Your play lacks motive." "Right—" " motive, man! Why haven't you had a square meal in a year?"—Detroit Journal.

It surprised him: "You know, O Isaac, dot dey say matches vos in heaven." "Vor! Do they haf matches, too?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Mike—"Hulloa, Pat, how much you pay for your new hat?" "Faith, and I don't know; there was one in the shop when I bought Tit-Bits."

to be mistaken)—"Is it a bridge you  
want to be my man?" Old Witness—  
"It's all I'm fit for now, your Lord-  
ship."  
—TH. E. R.

On the wrong tack: Tommy  
Kings and Queens always go on, a  
pair." Grandpa—"Not always, my  
nephew, but when they do, they  
not when there are two out of  
them."—Brooklyn Life.

Clancy—"Am' I there war hot told  
Flannigan's christenin' av the tu-  
Dolan—"Vor there? Begorra! he  
fought at him walm told it wud wot  
in a wuke!"—Puck.

Parting kick: A horse went pr-  
py, "Your sun is setting," bray-  
my never hear anybody predic-  
muleless age."—Chicago Tribune.

Stage gossip: The clown—"I

the man's old enough to be her father.  
The coryphæe: "Yes, but she's not  
enough to be her husband."—*Puff*  
A cautious opinion: "You  
has a wonderful memory."  
"You?" "Never fails mine."  
know about that. I have never  
him on the witness stand."—*Wash-  
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"Our treasury," said the chief  
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"What is the matter between  
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# RECEPTION TO A NOTED WOMAN.

The Superior-General  
at the Sacred Heart  
Convent.

Students and Sisters  
Give Her a  
Welcome.

At the Convent of the Sacred Heart on Webster street, yesterday, there was a day of festivity and rejoicing such as occurs there only once in five years. It was in honor of the Superior-General of the orders of the Sisters of the Sacred Heart, Mother Oliver, who is now paying a visit of inspection to the institution. On such occasions it is customary for the pupils of the seminary in old and young, those of the classes which have long since been enrolled among the alumnae as well as those of the present, to gather and meet together the distinguished visitor and renew acquaintance with the sisters under her direction at their studies for the battle of life.

Yesterday was an ideal day for the tribute to the honored leader and happily and loyally did the students of the past and present turn out to meet and greet her. The appearance of the ladies was unusually large, giving the gathering in effect, the appearance of an alumnae reunion. There were among these older pupils some ladies who attended the seminary more than 30 years ago.

As a consequence there were meetings among alumnae who had been separated for years and the renewal of the acquaintance of the pupils was a happy one. Among the heavy-hearted when the school welcomed back again was Mrs. Biven, who was the second scholar enrolled in the institution. She was then known as Miss Millie Scott. Of course, few of the preachers of that distant day were preachers of the returning scholars. Some of them have been transferred to other spheres of usefulness while others have passed into that other life beyond the grave. There was not wanting fervent greetings for the returning scholars, however, because in the teachers of today was found the motherly tenderness and love which had led to the enlightenment of the sisters of other days.

There was a cessation of study for the time being and the students retired to the excitement and the pleasure which characterized the day of rejoicing.

After all the guests had assembled, an adjournment was taken to the assembly hall, where the chair of honor was occupied by Mother Oliver, who was attended by her secretary, Mother Martin and several members of the faculty of the seminary.

There were several special selections rendered at the assembly. The first among them being that of Miss Cassie Hayward, whose selection, "The Day's Farewell," was rendered in the voice and in a faultless manner.

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Miss Constance McKeand, one of the alumnae then advanced toward Mother Oliver and read the following address:  
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The sentiment of the address touched the Superior-General who was sensibly affected as she replied to the greeting. The reply was delivered in French and was translated into English as it was delivered by Mother Delphine, Mother Oliver thanked the children and alumnae for their kindly greeting to herself and her devoted assistants and congratulated them upon the devotion which had nurtured them spiritually and intellectually in the years that had gone by.

The party then adjourned to the dining room where a repast was served, the tables being beautifully garnished with flowers of many varieties. After the repast, the party remained to the chapel, where benediction of the blessed sacrament was given. During this service, Miss Cassie Hayward sang an "Ave Maria" in a very pleasing manner. The "Tantum Ergo," which was sung by the choir, was accompanied by Miss Alice Brady on the violin.

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has houses in this city, San Francisco, Ramona, Pomona and Pasadena. Mother Oliver's term of office comprises years. She is now serving her second term, having been re-elected by the members of the order. Her visit to this city has been most pleasant, and all the more so because she found the seminary in a flourishing condition.

Among the guests present were: Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Miss B. Corigan, Miss May Tenney, Miss L. Kane, Mrs. Ethel Husink, Miss Sophie Dinkenspiel, Mrs. E. Mitchell, Mrs. M. Rossi, Miss I. Fore, Mrs. O. Berger, Miss A. Atwood, Miss D. Dougherty, Miss L. Clifton, Miss Z. Robinson, Miss G. Gales, Miss L. Atwood, Miss C. McMillan, Miss M. Marie and Marguerite Butters, Miss L. Heisenian, Mrs. A. Nichols, Miss H. Klein, Mrs. L. Atwood, Miss D. Seiberger, Miss T. De Vries, Miss L. Fontana, Miss J. Egan, Miss M. Sousa, Miss H. Glenn, Miss E. Gurnat, Miss Gladys Dodge, Miss S. Scherzer, Miss A. Monteverde, Miss H. Graham, Miss C. Smith, Miss M. Pennington, Miss T. Forrester, Miss H. Don, Miss M. Menick, Miss M. Crowley, Mrs. Violet Jacobs, Miss Charlotte G. Lindo, Mrs. Pauline, Miss Marie Norris, Miss Blanche E. Bolden, Miss Frances McDevitt, Miss Margaret McDevitt, Miss Victoria Penney, Mrs. L. S. Aldin, Miss Bernice MacDonald, Miss Emma Penney, Miss Alice Brady, Miss T. Arnew, Mrs. Ryle, Miss Pauline Fore, Miss White, Mrs. Samuel Shortridge, Miss Acacia Orena, Mrs. Channing Cooke, Mrs. E. Donay, Mrs. C. C. Kilbuck, Mrs. C. H. Leedy, Miss Grace Jackson, Mrs. R. Biven, Oakland; Mrs. W. H. Riden, San Francisco; Miss Eugene's Polaris, Mrs. John Lynch, Mrs. C. W. Callahan, Pleasantville; Miss Constance McKeand, Miss Nellie Dimond, Miss Grace E. Donnelly, Miss Henrietta Donnelly, Miss Gertrude Kraft, Miss Agnes Wheeler, Miss Pauline Merrill, Miss Margaret O'Callahan, Miss M. M. Hyde, San Francisco; Miss Leonie Charlotte Gashwiler, Miss Jean Howard, Miss Clara Scott, the Misses E. E. White, Mrs. Ziegler, Miss Gilbert Waller, Miss Florence Beaudry, Miss Kate Donahue, Miss Louise Gail, Miss Marie Dougherty, Miss Margaret Lynch, Mrs. Lou Arnew, Miss J. Guerlin White, Mrs. A. Kearney, Mrs. E. Hoffman, Miss Mamie E. Canby, Miss Catherine Canby, Mrs. M. Bliss, Mrs. Dr. McGuffey, Miss L. Kelly, Miss R. Short, Miss S. Ross of Ramona.

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THE PROGRAM AT CARNIVAL

Fine Music to be Heard at Exposition Hall.

The members of Piedmont Parlor, Native Daughters, and Oakland Parlor, Native Sons, have reason to congratulate themselves, and Manager Buckley, who directed the display so far of the carnival, can well be pleased at its undoubted success, for it will not only make a good profit for this projection, but the attendance continues anything like as at present, but it will also emphasize the fact that when a show is properly put upon the boards and value for value rendered, this city is as good as any other for holding fairs, exhibitions and giving attractions.  
One thing about the carnival that deserves special mention is the quality of the music. An hour has been heard in Oakland, and the applause given the special numbers is merited. Once again, for the second time, tonight Mr. Tschoban, the director of the Catalina Island Band, and who is rendering solos with E. Bennett, will be heard. Also Mrs. M. J. L. and Hobbs, concert and baritone soloists, will be heard in the "Serenade" and "Miserere" from "Il Trovatore." Mr. Bennett will give two of his original compositions this evening, one "Southern Ballads" and the other a march, "Columbia." The program composed last year for the Portland Exposition.  
Friday afternoon will be the latest classical and Wagner concert. The schools present this afternoon were the Graceland, Sweet and Lincoln schools, together with Alameda and Berkeley schools. Tomorrow afternoon the Durant, Durant, Christian Brothers and Temescal schools, the West Oakland Home and various Christian Brothers schools will be present.  
The voting for the most popular Native Daughter taking the lead in the balloting so far, with a number of others close up, Mrs. Dr. A. Bennett-Nash, 10; Mrs. A. A. MacDonald, 10; Mrs. K. K. 15; Mrs. J. E. Foster, 10; and Mrs. T. C. Lander, 8.  
The program for tonight embraces a number of special refined vaudeville acts brought over from San Francisco by Manager Buckley, and several native acts; the Mexican dance and several songs by the musicians, members of the band.

CRUSADE BY THE SINGLE TAXERS.

James G. Maguire will lecture tomorrow at the Pilgrim Brotherhood Church in East Oakland on "Free Competition the True Remedy." On Sunday Dr. Dille will preach on "Single Tax or Socialism." Ralph Hoyt will lecture on "Something Different" on Friday, May 13th.  
The lectures will all be free. The Alameda County Single Tax Society holds debates upon the subject every Tuesday in the Y. M. C. A. building. An effort will be made to have the cause represented at the State Convention of the Christian Endeavorers next week.

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ITALIANS LOSE THEIR STRIKE

The Contractors at Jerome Park Are Victorious.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
NEW YORK, May 10.—Of the 1,200 Italians who struck Monday at the Jerome Park reservoir, only 400 remained out this morning, and these are expected to return to work shortly. The affair practically ended in a victory for the contractors, the laborers going back at the original \$1.25 a day.  
Another strike in sympathy with these strikers was begun this morning by 100 men, all Italians, who were working for the same contractor on the new aqueduct at Moshula Park way. It is scarcely thought this will have much effect.  
Stickers this morning menaced a gang of fifty men at work near the reservoir. The men refused to join the strikers, and the Italians brandished their shovels off and returned, but the police arrived and drove the strikers off with their clubs. Tony Salvato, who seemed to be a leader of the strikers, was arrested and fined \$5 on a charge of disorderly conduct.

COLOSSAL CARPET TRUST.

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NEW YORK, May 10.—It is reported that negotiations are in progress, with an excellent prospect of soon reaching a successful conclusion, for a combination of manufacturers of all grades of carpets of a corporation which will be known as the National Carpet Company, and will be capitalized at between \$30,000,000 and \$40,000,000. The combination is being promoted by New York and Boston capitalists. It is said the National Carpet Company will buy a manufacturer's plant and business for a sum agreed upon, paying one-half cash and one-half in common stock of the new company. It will also pay cash for material on hand, manufactured and unmanufactured. In particular cases the book accounts will also be purchased. It is guaranteed. The cash to make these purchases will be raised by the sale of a 7 per cent cumulative preferred stock, which will be offered to the owners going into the movement. This carries a bonus of one share of common stock for each two shares of preferred, so that each owner can become an underwriter. There are no commissions to be paid to any underwriting syndicate.

AN OFFER TO DR. ANDREWS

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
CHICAGO, May 10.—The Presidency of the State Agricultural College of Colorado has been tendered to E. Benjamin Andrews, Superintendent of the Chicago public schools. Dr. Andrews, when seen, said he was not ready to announce whether or not he would accept the offer.  
He said he would be able to say yes or no within a few days. It was evident that Dr. Andrews had either arrived at a decision about leaving Chicago and was not able to make the news public, or that he is still considering the matter and will not come to a final conclusion until the latter part of the week.

Interstate Commerce Rate.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
WASHINGTON, May 10.—The Interstate Commerce Commission held a conference today with a number of railroad men on the question of rates. Many complaints have reached the commission to the effect that some of the roads are failing to observe their published rates, and the conference was for the purpose of securing compliance with the law in this respect. The meeting was largely attended by railroad managers, none of those present representing Western lines. The proceedings were in executive session.

Delta Gamma Fraternity.

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ALBION, Mich., May 10.—The eleventh annual convention of the Delta Gamma, a women's college fraternity, began a three days' meeting last night under the auspices of the Zeta Chapter of Albion College. Fourteen active and one alumni chapters are represented by delegates. Delta Gamma fraternity was founded at the University of Mississippi in 1872. It now has 1,334 members.

Estate Left to the Poor.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
HANOVER, Mass., May 9.—The will of the late Edward Y. Perry leaves the greater portion of his estate, variously estimated at from \$200,000 to \$300,000, as a trust for the benefit of the poor of this and two adjoining towns.

WAR IS DECLARED ON FAITH HEALERS IN EAST.

The New York Officials Propose to Arrest and Prosecute the Leaders of the Creed.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
NEW YORK, May 10.—The Herald says: Attempted cures by incantations and the mysterious ministrations of Christian Science healers will no longer be tolerated in and about New York.  
The recent flagrant cases which have been followed by loss of life and limb have resulted in a union of regularly licensed physicians and the District Attorneys of three counties for the purpose of punishing as severely as the law permits all persons who practice or countenance chicanery.  
District Attorney George C. Andrews of Westchester county announces that he will ask the Grand Jury on May 22 to indict for manslaughter in the second degree Mrs. Clarence Fowler and Lister Barget, Jr., in connection with the death of Mrs. Charlotte M. Barget, who died after Mrs. Fowler's treatment.  
The case of Miss Ethel L. Barget, who is charged with being an accessory, will also be considered. Mr. Andrews expresses the belief that he has a good case.  
In the case of Lizzie Kranz of Williamsburg, whose leg was amputated in the Eastern District Hospital after she had been treated by Mrs. Maria Miller, a sympathetic healer, it was decided, after a conference between officials of the Board of Health, to issue subpoenas for the foster parents of the girl. They will be arraigned today in a Brooklyn Police Court.  
While both the Williamsburg and the Mount Vernon cases will be followed up keenly by both the legal authorities and the medical societies, Dr. S. O. Vanderpool, president of the New York County Medical Society, and Robert A. Taylor, the society's counsel, will go to Albany today and confer with Governor Roosevelt relative to legislation affecting certain classes of practitioners who have sought the protection of the law here. Whether or not Dr. Vanderpool will urge action in the case of Christian Science and sympathetic healers he was not prepared to say.  
An attempt to learn from the Brooklyn Institute of Christian Science the manner in which healers such as Mrs. Fowler were prepared for their work in treating human ailments developed a tendency to secrecy on the part of the persons in charge of the institution from which Mrs. Fowler testified she had secured a degree.

BERKELEY AND ALAMEDA.

University Summer News Notes From the Courses of Study Arranged. Prosperous Town of Alameda.

BERKELEY, May 10.—The summer courses at the University will begin Monday, May 22nd, and continue for six weeks, ending Saturday, July 8th. These exercises are especially adapted to the requirements of teachers in the secondary schools of the State, but other persons may be admitted to the courses with the consent of the instructor in charge.  
The fee for each course excepting that in chemistry is \$5. In the chemistry course a fee of \$15 is required, of which \$10 is retained, and the remainder, less the value of apparatus broken, will be returned.  
The courses to be given are as follows: Introduction to pedagogy—An inquiry into some of the principles underlying effective methods of instruction, by Assistant Professor Fletcher B. Dressler, history—American history—a general survey of the history of the United States down to 1861, by Dr. Kendrick C. Takahashi; medieval Europe—an intensive study of the history, institutions and life of France and Germany from the accession of Charles the Great until the middle of the fourteenth century, by Dr. Babcock; mathematics—advanced algebra, theory of infinite series, determinants and theory of equations, and plain analytic geometry—three courses, by Charles A. Noble, instructor in mathematics; physics—laboratory course and lectures, by D. W. F. Boynton; chemistry—laboratory and lectures, by G. W. Beattie. In both these courses the laboratories will be open daily, except Saturday, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. The other courses will be given five hours weekly.  
Professor John Dewey, of the department of philosophy in the University of Chicago, arrived in Berkeley yesterday. Prof. Dewey is to deliver the annual address on philosophy during commencement week at the University. He is the guest of Prof. Howison and Dr. Moon. Last night he gave an informal lecture before the Philosophical Union, on the subject, "Formal and Dynamic Idealism."  
Mrs. M. A. Pierce, wife of Rev. D. J. Pierce, pastor of the First Baptist Church, died yesterday afternoon after a lingering illness. Mrs. Pierce was well known in church and educational work in many of the larger cities of the West. She was a native of Chester, Vt., and was 57 years of age. She leaves four children.  
While at work on the lines on Atherton street last night William D. Ward, a lineman in the employ of the Sunset Telephone Company, received a shock that came near being fatal. He fell from the pole, a distance of thirty feet, and lay unconscious until found by Night Watchman Parker. Ward was revived by hard work and will recover.

JOHN LEVY'S WILL TO BE CONTESTED.

A wife and daughter have appeared to contest the will of John Levy, the eccentric fugman, who died last January, leaving \$5,000 in bank to two nieces in Ireland.  
Levy's will was filed for probate by Attorney Bernard McFadden. It provided that if any woman claiming to be his widow should attempt to establish her claim in court, she should be given \$1. The same provision was made in the event of a daughter appearing to contest the will.  
The possibilities which Levy foresaw have now become realities. Attorneys Snook and Church are preparing papers to contest the will in behalf of an alleged widow in Australia and an alleged daughter in Ireland. It is claimed that Levy became estranged from his family years ago. It is said that the provisions of the testament will not stand the test of California law.  
Levy was the fugman and bridge-tender on the Webster street bridge for the railroad company.

THE FLOWER FETE AT ST. JOHN'S.

The spring flower fete to be given by the young ladies of St. John's parish under the auspices of the church chapter, Friday evening of this week, in the Sunday School rooms, will present an attractive program.

ALAMEDA NEWS.

W. W. Kelly, a salesman living at 1519 Ninth street, was aroused by a noise in the basement of his house Monday night, and taking his revolver, he stepped out on the back porch to investigate. Just as Kelly opened the kitchen door a burglar rushed out of the basement. Kelly sent a shot after the fellow, but evidently missed him, as he ran faster than ever. A second burglar darted out, and again Kelly fired, but with the same result. Nothing was stolen.  
Alameda has suffered more or less from the depredations of pretty nearly every variety of thief, but when it comes to stealing enough flowers and shrubs to stock a nursery, the most successful officer experienced a new sensation. That is what was done a few nights ago by a gang of thieves Branner are Harold Havens '01, Arthur Greely '98, C. E. Gilman '01, George Hall, Clarence Umy, accomplices. Dramatic readings by Messrs. Charles Schleuter and Van Britton. All friends of the parish are invited.

THEY WILL EXPLORE COAST OF BRAZIL.

Professor J. C. Branner of Stanford University and a party of five students leave today for a scientific expedition to the coast of Brazil. They will investigate the coral and sand storm foundations along the coast for about 1,400 miles to settle some controversies in regard to these formations. The students under Professor Branner are Harold Havens '01, Arthur Greely '98, C. E. Gilman '01, George Hall, Clarence Umy, and Ben Collins '00. Havens is the son of P. C. Havens of this city.

FRESH PROTEST AGAINST THE REV. DR. BRIGGS.

Noted Pastor a Bull in Bishop Potter Still Maintains Silence in the Ecclesiastical China Shop.

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NEW YORK, May 10.—Another formal protest, representing the views of a large number of Protestant Episcopal clergymen against the proposed ordination of the Rev. Dr. Briggs has been forwarded to Bishop Potter. The protest was the outcome of a largely attended meeting of the New York Catholic Club held at St. Ignatius Church, and was unanimously adopted. It was decided by the members of the club not to give out the protest for publication until after it had reached Bishop Potter.  
It is understood, however, that the protest calls attention to the religious principles of Dr. Briggs, as evidenced by his writings and his sermons; points out that doubt as to his eligibility has been raised in many quarters; notes that a strong demand for an investigation as to his standing and regularity has been made; suggests the impropriety of a secret ordination, and asks for the appointment of a committee to investigate the case. Otherwise, it is declared, the danger of further dissension in the church will be great and a rupture may follow.  
Bishop Potter still maintains his silence in the matter and no sign whatever has come from his as to his intention and purposes. When asked if he had anything to say about the case he replied: "Nothing whatever. I have been trying for several years to get reporters to understand that I do not talk about my affairs through the newspapers, but you all seem to be unable to grasp the significance of my declaration."  
While Bishop Potter will not indicate in any way his purpose, the growing opinion throughout the Protestant Episcopal circles is that the ordination of Dr. Briggs will be postponed.

WILL PROMOTE GOOD FEELING.

When American and Spanish Ministers Duke of Arcos on His Way to America. Will Arrive.

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NEW YORK, May 10.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Paris says: By a common understanding arrived at by the American and Spanish Ministers accredited respectively to Madrid and Washington, both of whom are now in Paris, it is arranged that their arrivals in the two capitals shall be as nearly as possible simultaneous.  
Mr. Storer, United States Minister, arrived here this morning from Brussels and had a conversation on the subject with the Duke of Arcos, who, with the Duchess of Arcos, formerly Miss Lowery of New York, has been staying in Paris since Friday, and intends to remain here until May 18th, when himself and wife will go to London to pass a few days before sailing for New York on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse on May 24th.  
Upon their arrival at New York the Duke and Duchess of Arcos will proceed directly to Washington, stopping only a couple of hours in New York, so as to reach Washington on Tuesday, May 30th, the day upon which the United States Minister will arrive at Madrid.  
It has transpired that it was an earnest personal desire of the Queen Regent that the Spanish diplomat selected for Minister to Washington should be one who, to use the Queen's own words, enjoyed the immense advantage of having an American wife, which, in her majesty's opinion, would constitute an additional bond of sympathy to strengthen future diplomatic relations between the two nations. The Duke and Duchess of Arcos are in excellent health and spirits and look forward with keen pleasure to renewing their agreeable personal relations of some years ago, when the Duke of Arcos was attached to the Spanish legation at Washington.  
It will be remembered that the Duke and Duchess made a flying visit to Washington and New York about eighteen months ago, when he was returning to Spain from his post in South America.

Pretty Wedding at Becker Home.

One of the most notable of the nuptial events of the season, in this city, took place at high noon today when Ferdinand J. Zinkand, son of Charles Zinkand, of the Zinkand restaurant of San Francisco and Miss Laura Becker, daughter and Mrs. and Mrs. Fred Becker of Oakland, were united in matrimony.  
The officiating clergyman was Rev. J. H. Theiss, of the Zion German Evangelical Lutheran Church.  
The ceremony was witnessed only by the immediate members of the families of the contracting parties.  
W. Z. Zinkand, brother of the groom, acted as best man and Miss Emma Reier of this city acted as bridesmaid. The ceremony took place in the parlors of the home of the bride which, like all the other apartments of the house, was beautifully decorated with maidenhair fern, sweet peas, and roses of a number of different varieties.  
There was a beautiful nuptial bell suspended from the arch of an alcove and under this symbol the two lovers were declared man and wife.  
The entrance to the apartments of the bride party was announced by an overture played on an artistic manner by a string orchestra, the overture gradually resolving itself into Mendelssohn's "Wedding March."  
The bride looked charming in a costume of ermine with a gray taffeta veil of white satin with pearl trimmings.  
Miss Reier, the bridesmaid, was attired in a white organdie with pink silk.  
After the marriage there was an elaborate bridal breakfast, which was attended only by twelve persons, the extended only by twelve persons, the

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The bride and groom will spend their honeymoon in the southern portion of the State. In a few weeks they will return to San Francisco, where the groom has prepared a home.  
Mr. Zinkand is well known in both this city and San Francisco as associated with his father in the well-known Zinkand cafe on Market street.  
The bride is well-known in this city. She is the daughter of Fred J. Becker, of the Grand Central Market, is a talented young lady with a wide circle of friends, who will wish her much happiness in her married life. The bride and groom were made the recipients of a number of elegant, valuable and useful presents.

PIONEER EXPRESSMAN DEAD

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
NEW YORK, May 10.—Oliver Hazard Perry Archer is dead at his summer home in Ellensdale, Georgia, aged 74.  
While a clerk in this city he bought a city express business and thereafter operated on his own account. It is said that the first business express delivery on the Hudson River Railroad originated with Mr. Archer. Later he contracted to carry on the entire express business of that road. This launched on a prosperous career, he continued in the management of various express and freight and railroad enterprises. In the prosecution of which he was successful. At one time he was chosen vice-president of the Erie Road.  
The first fast freight line was started by him over the Hudson River Road, it is said.  
About the year 1880 he made a contract to divert all the freight business possible to the Hudson River and New York Central Railroad for 5 cents a hundred pounds. In this manner he became a power in freighting. At that time the New York Central consisted of a chain of independent railroads.  
In 1888 he transferred his operations to the Erie, and handled the freight. The Juliet and Wilmington and the suspension bridge and Erie Junction railroads were built by him.

FATAL BOILER EXPLOSION.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.  
TRENTON, N. J., May 10.—Three men were seriously and two probably fatally injured today by the explosion of a boiler at the works of the New Jersey Iron and Steel Company. The injured are: John Smith and Erich Jenkins, firemen, Edward Goshen, Charles Malon and John H. Smith. Smith and Jenkins are the two not expected to live. They were horribly scalded, and Jenkins' back was broken. The other men were badly scalded. They were all taken to St. Francis Hospital.  
The cause of the explosion is unknown.

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